

SAMPLE REFERENCE MATERIALS FOR CALIFORNIA REGISTERED ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH SPECIALIST EXAMINATION

Listed below is a **sample** of reference materials available to assist the candidate in preparing for the registered environmental health specialist examination. Test items are not necessarily taken directly from these references, but content of these materials may cover many of the topic areas in the examination.

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Self-Study Courses -- Vector-Borne Disease Control, 3013-G; Foodborne Disease Control, 3016-G; Microbial Ecology of Foods, 3018-G; Centers for Disease Control, Bldg, 6, Room 319, G24, 1600 Clifton Road NE, Atlanta, GA 30333, (404) 639-2142. (Free if state, city, or county employee or state university or state hospital employee.)

Review Manual for Public Health Sanitarians, 1985, W-H Interscience, Inc., P O Box 4722, Grand Junction, CO 81502, (303) 243-5913.*

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